Comparing Democracy

Use the Venn diagram to show similarities and differences between Ancient Athens and the United States today. Write the letter of each phrase in the appropriate place on the diagram.

A. women can work and own property
B. women are politically active
C. over 100 jurors per trial
D. everyone is protected by the law
E. both sides in a trial are allowed to speak
F. women cannot vote
G. foreigners cannot vote
H. women not politically active
I. foreigners can become citizens and vote
J. an accused person represents himself at trial
K. women can vote
L. citizens can speak out freely
M. women cannot work or own property
N. judge and lawyers at trial
O. citizens must be born in the area
P. any citizen can hold a government position
Q. opportunity to better your position in life
R. jury of 12 people